

SENATE BILL No. 497

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: Noncode.

Synopsis: Health education and sex education curricula. Requires the state department of health and the department of education, working cooperatively, to identify and report to the general assembly appropriate academic standards and curricula concerning health education and sex education.

Effective: July 1, 2015.

Breaux

January 14, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on Education & Career Development.



First Regular Session 119th General Assembly (2015)

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A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning education.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2015] (a) **Not later than**
2 **November 1, 2016, the state department of health and the**
3 **department of education, working cooperatively, shall identify and**
4 **report to the general assembly appropriate academic standards**
5 **and curricula concerning health education and sex education that:**
6 (1) **are evidence based;**
7 (2) **use established medical principles; and**
8 (3) **are age appropriate for different grade levels.**
9 (b) **The report required under subsection (a) must be submitted**
10 **to the legislative council in an electronic format under IC 5-14-6.**
11 (c) **This SECTION expires November 2, 2016.**

